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SUBJECT: VISIT OF FOREIGN MINISTER BAC

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DEPARTING WASHINGTON FOR NEW YORK OCTOBER 5 FOLLOWING HIS MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT, BAC TOLD DEPTOFF THAT HE WAS VERY SATISFIED WITH HIS VISIT HERE. WHILE IN WASHINGTON BAC CALLED ON SENATOR STENNIS AND LUNCHEDED WITH SENATORS MUSKIE, GOLDWATER, AIKEN AND OTHERS ON THE HILL. SENATORS THURMOND, HELMS AND FONG AND CONGRESSMAN ZABLOCKI, PASSMAN AND ANDREWS ATTENDED AMBASSADOR PHUONG'S DINNER IN HIS HONOR. AT THE UN LAST MONTH BAC MET WITH 24 FOREIGN MINISTERS IN HIS CONTINUING EFFORTS TO ENHANCE RVN RELATIONS, PARTICULARLY WITH THIRD-WORLD COUNTRIES. HE PLANS TO HAVE TWO OR THREE MORE MEETINGS IN NEW YORK THIS WEEK BEFORE RETURNING TO VIET-NAM VIA LONDON AND POSSIBLY BONN AND PARIS. HE EXPECTS TO BE BACK IN SAIGON IN ABOUT A WEEK. KISSINGER

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